Gray St. Edinburgh 11-11-50

My dear friend

Enclosed is the list of our contributions to the Boston bazaar, I wish they had been more - but under all the circumstances, at one time we scarcely expected to have so much - & I hope that next year, if still needed, we may all unite in working with you. - our box will be sent along with the Glasgow contributions but I rather think it will be an independant box - being too large to incorporate with theirs - I hope that all the contributions may arrive in safety - & that they may bring a considerable amount for your treasury. - The principal contributor (as may be seen by the tickets) is Isabella Scott whose exertions have been most zealous in the cause & whose name I thought you would like to know more particularly. The contributions in money will be forwarded through W. & R. Smeal's agent. & we should like the names mentioned in the acknowledgement - & ~~report of the~~ report of the bazaar. - I should not omit to mention the name of Margaret Armour whose exertions have been valuable to us in making up our small stock this year. - I was much obliged for thy last kind letter which was satisfactory to many of us - but there was one thing which I wish to set right - we wish it to be understood that it is not from want of love to the slave that some have withdrawn from contrib:uting to the bazaar - but simply from the reasons stated in their resolution - & they are anxious as ever to befriend the slave in some way which will not com:

with thine & our own
kind love to W.L.G.
H.C. Wright -
James N. Buffum;
George Thompson
& any other
friends - & and
also to thyself
& thy sister -
I remain
Thine affectionately
Eliza Wigham

promise their principles on other points. – & I hope that a little care being exercised their difficulties may be removed & they may work with us again – We have lost by death some of our valuable friends since last year, Mrs Bruce, for one, whose legacy to the American A. S. Socy – proved her zeal to the last. – – Our friends the Hilditchs are again prevented from assisting us – by their pecuniary situation & our friend Mary Wood by domestic circumstances. – Benjamin Wiffen has sent

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Anne Warren Weston
Weymouth
Massachusetts
U. S. America

E. Wigham Edinburgh 1850

a rare Spanish work, with a small descriptive notice [illegible] & our Kirkcaldy friends have done a little. – We are much roused by this fugitive bill & we think that it will prove quite an anti-slavery instrument from its very severity. We are to have a meeting about it tomorrow evening – to which we expect Robert Edmond a native of our city who suffered for the slave in your land. – We hope there

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with much interest the visit of dear G. Thompson to the U. S. & we sincerely hope much good may be the result. – Wilt thou ask W. L. G. if he has yet written to Alexr. Hutchison about sending Mrs Bruce's money; the executors are anxious to have the affairs settled. –

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List of articles sent to the Boston Anti-Slavery Bazaar 1850 from Edinburgh

	£	S	D
2 Large patched Table covers @ 42/- 84/ Small do 21/	5	5	"
Knitted Affghan Blanket 48/ Couvre-Pied or Cradle-cover 10/	2	18	
2 Crotchet wool Tidies @ 5/ 10/ Knitted do 6/ Knitted cotton, (large) 7/6 –	1	8	6
curious pink & white cotton 6/ 4 Brush & Razor cases @ 1/ 4/	"	10	"
2 Knitted wool cushions @ 15/ 30/- 3 Small do @ 6/6 – 19/6 – 1 do 7/6 – –	2	17	"
Worked cushion on damask 20/- painted white velvet do 25/	2	5	"
2 Embroidered pincushions 12/- 10/6 – 3 Small do 3/- 1/- 1/- 2 Mattress do 2/6	1	12	6
Easy chair pincushion 2/- 2 small do 6d. 3d white crochet 1/6 2 knit bags 2/6, 3/6	"	5	"
3 Penwipers @ 6d. 1/6 – butterfly do 1/- 2 Housewives 6/6 – 5/6 – 2 Garters 9d. 6d	"	15	9
4 Needlecases @ 6d. 2/- 2 @ 1/- 2/- Penny purse 4d Shell of sea-weeds 1/6	"	6	10
4/4 Small Tartan shawl 5/- 2 Fine do 4/4 @ 8/- 16/- Necktie 6d	1	1	6
7 Scarfs 2/- 2/- 2/- 2/- 1/- 1/- 1/6 – 16 silk Tartan handkerchiefs @ 1/- 16/	1	7	6
5 silk Tartan hdkfs @ 1/4 – 6/8 – 3 @ 1/8 – 5/ Netted wool 2/-	"	13	8
2 Black silk aprons, trimmed 18/6. 37/- 4 Spun silk @ 5/- 20/- 1 Black 2/6	2	19	6
4 Muslin aprons @ 1/- 4/- 2 Holland bibs @ 2/ 4/- 1 do 1/6 – 2 White do @ 1/9 3/6	"	15	"
2 Ladies muslin caps @ 3/- 6/- Gentleman's knitted wool do 15/-	1	1	"
×4 cloth caps (boys) @ 4/ 16/- babys bonnet 10/- 2 woollen caps @ 6d 1/-	1	7	"
12 Gentleman's Collars @ 9d 9/- cotton crochet do 2/- Bustle 3/	"	14	"
2 prs Knitted lace cuffs @ 2/- 4/- netted cotton do 1/6 – 3 wool do @ 1/6. 4/6	"	10	"
2 prs Imitation fur – 2/- 2/6 – 10 wool @ 1/- 10/- do 9d. do 6d. Knitted mits 1/	"	16	9
4 yds Knitted edging 2/6 – Worked slippers 5/- Wax flowers 15/-	1	2	6
4 Prudence caps 1/- 4/ 1 do 1/6 Knitted neck tie 3/- 3 cuffs @ 6d 1/6	"	10	"
2 Victorines @ 1/ 2/- 2 @ 1/6 – 3/- 2 Pelereens – 4/- 3/- 2 prs Men's Stockings 2/4	"	16	"
4 Comforters @ 3d. 1/- 3 @ 4d. 1/- 1 @ 6d 4 prs Shetland socks @ 1/10 7/4	"	9	10
6 prs Shetland socks @ 1/2 – 7/- 2 prs wool do 1/6 – 2/- Cotton do 2/	"	12	6
£	32	18	4

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Brought Forward — — — — —	32	18	4
12 Prs. Berlin wool baby's boots @ 1/9 21/– 8 do @ 1/- 8/– 12 do @ 10d. 10/	1	19	"
6 @ 9d. 4/6 – 12 coarser Hangers @ 9d. 9/– 2 @ 1/3 – 2/6 – 6 prs. Colord. Socks @ 9d. 4/6	1	"	6
Embroidered baby's Shoes 4/– 3 quilted @ 2/6 7/6 – 3 plain – 2/ 6/ –	"	17	6
Crochet do 1/– – 2 Free labor cotton chemises @ 1/6. 3/– 2 do @ 1/ 2/	"	6	"
Well dressed Doll 10/– 4 @ 5/- 20/– 1 do 3/6 – 2 Fishwomen do @ 1/6 3/–	1	16	6
3 Balls @ 1/ 3/– 3 @ 9d. 2/3 – 2 Purses @ 1/ 2/– 1 do 5/6 – 1 do 2/6 – do 2/	"	17	3
Worked Carriage bag 10/6 – Crochet do 6/6 – smaller do 4/–	1	1	"
Tufted worked bag 4/– do 5/– do 6/– small knitted 2/6 do 1/6	"	19	"
3 crochet 9d. 2/3 – 2 Mats flower-border @ 3/6 – 7/– 3 Silk do @ 2/ 6/	"	15	3
1 Silk do 2/6 – 13 Crochet wool mats @ 1/- 13/– Small sewed 1/ do 1/3	"	17	9
2 wool @ 2/ 4/– large crimson do @ 2/ worked do 5/– cotton do 1/–	"	12	"
3 Fancy baskets @ 2/6 7/6 – 2 @ 5/- 10/– 3 Book marks @ 4d. 1/–	"	18	6
2 Book marks @ 3d. 6d. 3 @ 6d. 1/6 2 @ 8d. 1/4 – 2 @ 1/- 2/– 2 @ 1/3 2/6 – 3 @ 1/6 – 4/6	"	12	4
1 do 2/6. 1 do 2/ – 2 blue Stockings @ 1/ 2/– 2 Prs. Cardracks 1/6 3/–	"	9	6
2 China-ink sketches @ 2/6 5/– 4 Colord. engravings of Fishwomen @ 2/6 10/	"	15	"
1 Colord. print 2/– 3 plain @ 8d. 2/– 2 @ 4d. 8d. Anti-State Church prints 7/6	"	12	2
Portrait of Francis Jeffrey in frame 2/6 – 10 [illegible] visitor 10d.	"	3	4
Newspaper of 1708 may bring a considerable amot. if offered	–	"	"
to an Antiquarian museum – more than –	1	1	"
Fac-simile of Edinr. Courant, No 1 – 1/– Anti-Slavery wafers 5/	"	6	"
4 "Doctrine of of the Grace of God" 2d. 8d. 2 "Sacred Poetry" 2/6 5/–	"	5	8
"Voice of devotion" 2/6 "Christian Souvenir" 3/6 "Modern poetry 3/6	"	9	6
"Poetry of the seasons 3/6 "Life of Dr. Combe, by G. Combe 25/	1	8	6
"Rare Spanish work to bring three dollars or be presented to the best public library in Boston in name of A. S. Socy.	"	14	6
Mrs. Ellis "Hearths & Homes" 21/– 100 E. Burritt's welcome @ 2d. 16/8	1	17	8
	53	13	9

	£	s	d
Brought Forward	53	13	9
Autographs of Dr. Chalmers & Sir W. Scott, now scarce do of other noted individuals – value about	1	1	"
Case of botanical specimens 7/6 do sea-weeds 7/6	"	15	"
3 Necklaces @ 1/9 5/3 – 2 bracelets 2/- 4/- – Metal bracelet 2/ [illegible] 2/	"	13	3
Box of Confectionary from Fergusons £2.15.10 – from Neil 16/8	3	12	6
Child's mahogany chair 12/-	.	12	.
	£60	7	6
Shetland wool scarf 5/- Portfolio containing sketches 10/-		15	
	61	2	6
from Kirkcaldy	3	13	0
	£64	15	6
Contributions in Money to the Bazaar			
Mrs Scott 7 West Circus Place Edinburgh –	1	"	"
George Combe Melville St "	1	"	"
Miss Anderson Edinburgh 10/- Mr. Trevellyan 5/	"	15	"
Robert Armour "	"	2	6
	£67	13	0
Contributions from Kirkcaldy			
Scented handkerchief box 2/6 Purse 3/6 Pincushion 2/6	"	8	6
3 Silk aprons @ 8/ 24/ 1 do 10/ – Wool cuffs 2/ – Little boots 10	1	16	10
8 Flowers of wool @ 4d. 2/8 – 2 prs Mits 9d. 1/6 – 3 Penwipers 6d. 1/6	"	5	8
2 Infant's Stays 2/- 4/- – Collar 1/- – 2 Cotton Stockings 2/- 4/- – Woollen do 2/-	"	11	"
2 Wool mats 1/6 – 3/- Slippers 4/- Scarlet wool mat 2/- Cotton crochet 2/	"	11	"
	£3	13	0

Key to private price marks affixed to the articles –
No. means shillings – for example No. 4 means 4/–
Plain figure – pence " 4 – 4d
2 figures mean both sh. & pence " 44 – 4/4

A letter & tract are enclosed for H. C. Wright & the four cloth (marked ×) caps× if not sold are to be presented to W. L. Garrison for himself & boys – with the kind regards of Mrs Birrel who made them. –

We should be very glad, if you can afford it, that a table should still be allotted to Edinburgh, that our city may still be represented at the Boston bazaar

We expect the boxes will go per steamer of the 16th inst

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